

to place the application in idiomatic English, and the claims are amended to place them in better condition for examination.

An early and favorable examination on the merits is earnestly solicited.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The Abstract of the Disclosure has been amended as follows:

--[In the present invention, main] Main information [being] selected by a display indicator is changed in accordance with selection operations and corresponding detailed information is [taken out of] retrieved from a storage [means] device when the selection operations are interrupted and is displayed [at] on a part of a display [means, thereby] device to display call numbers [can be displayed] without performing selection and determination operations[, so that information can be retrieved with simple operations].--

IN THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-4 have been amended as follows:

--1. (Amended) A portable information terminal device, comprising:

display means for listing and displaying [plural] a plurality of pieces of main information[, as well as an] and a display indicator for selecting [at least] one [piece] of [information out of] the plurality of pieces of displayed main information;

storage means for storing [plural] the plurality of

pieces of [said] main information and [plural] a plurality of pieces of detailed information respectively corresponding to [said plural] the plurality of pieces of main information;

selecting means for switching [said] the piece of main information [being] selected by [said] the display indicator[,] in accordance with selection operations inputted via [given] operation means; and

display control means for[,] retrieving the detailed information corresponding to the selected piece of main information from the storage means and displaying the detailed information on a partial area of the display means when [said] the selection operations are not [made] performed for a [given] predetermined period of time while [said plural] the plurality of pieces of main information are listed and displayed on [said] the display means[, taking out said detailed information corresponding to said main information being selected by said display indicator, from said storage means, and displaying said detailed information at a partial area of said display means].

--2. (Amended) The portable information terminal device according to [Claim] claim 1, wherein

[said] the display control means [performs scroll] scrolls the display of [said] the detailed information [in the case where said] when all of the detailed information [taken can not] retrieved cannot be displayed [at the same time at said] simultaneously on the partial area.

--3. (Amended) The portable information terminal device according to [Claim] claim 1, wherein

[said] the display control means displays [said] the partial area in a color different from [that of the other area] a color of a portion of [said] the display means not containing the partial area.

--4. (Amended) The portable information terminal device according to [Claim] claim 1, wherein

[said] the display control means blinks and displays [said] the detailed information.--